

REMARKS

Enclosed is an Abstract in compliance with M.P.E.P. §604.01(b).

The amendment to the specification corrects a typographical error.

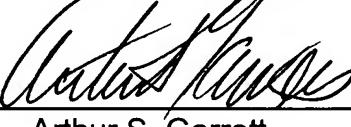
The claims have been amended to avoid improper multiple dependency.

Examination of claims 1-25 is requested.

Our check for \$250.00 to cover the extra claim fee is enclosed. If there is any additional fee due in connection with the filing of this Preliminary Amendment, please charge the fee to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments: **Abstract on separate sheet of paper**

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